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"HOPPERS" LIKELY TO BE SERIOUS MENACE NEXT YEAR

Grasshoppers are still a serious menace in Southern Alberta and the indications are that the season of 1935 will see another hopper outbreak unless concentrated effort is put forth by the farmers to counteract the pest.

Fall cultivation of stubble land is being urged by the provincial and federal authorities as a means of destroying hopper eggs. A great deal of loss resulted this season from the fact that a great many farmers failed to heed the advice to cultivate stubble fields last fall, and that they proceeded to seed these badly infested lands this spring. Many of these fields are a total loss.

Prof. Strickland of Alberta University, says "It is well known that to grasshoppers lay their eggs in fallow land. Even that which is seeded after fallow, is, therefore, free from hopper eggs and the latter hatch in the spring. A careful examination of the grain between the rows at that time, and the use of bait on them wherever hoppers are seen to have hatched in large numbers, will keep such fields free of grasshoppers, at least until they are flying."

"In stubble fields the problem is more serious. If eggs be laid through out their length and breadth, these eggs are laid throughout the late part of the summer and during the fall the frosts kill off all the eggs laying females. They are placed just beneath the surface of the soil and provided they remain undisturbed before winter, practically all of them will hatch in the spring. All Stubble Land should be shallowly cultivated in the fall."

"Nearly all of the eggs will perish however, if the stubble be cultivated to a depth of not more than two inches in the fall. The object of this is to bring as many of the eggs to the surface as possible. Any which are thus exposed will perish. The farmer may use what implement he prefers so long as he keeps this object in view. A well-conducted fall cultivation should destroy about 75 per cent of the eggs. It is obvious that it is far more satisfactory to destroy the eggs of the grasshoppers in this manner, before they hatch than it is to wait until they have already caused irretrievable damage in the spring when it is possible to reduce their numbers with bait."

While many farmers are adverse to fall cultivation who might enhance the soil drifting, yet there can be little danger of that if the cultivation is shallow, leaving a "trash mulch" on surface.

THE DISPOSAL OF GARDEN WASTE

(Experimental Farms Note)

In all gardens there is a relatively large amount of waste material such as grass and the leaves and stalks of flowers and vegetables, which is generally burnt or removed as garbage and is lost to the garden.

Most of this waste is organic, that is, largely composed of carbonaceous matter, and is derived from carbon dioxide in the air, from the water in the soil and the plant food constituents dissolved in this water. When rotted, this material is often called humus, which is a mass of organic material which has largely lost its fibrous structure. This material is valuable to the soil, both for the nitrogen and other plant food which it contains and also for the beneficial action of the organic matter on the texture of the soil.

The rotting of garden waste is a simple matter and can be carried out by making a compact pile of the waste and occasionally wetting it in order to hasten the rotting. It will be found that in a few months the material is in a better condition to be spread on the soil and plowed or dug in.

At this time the coarser materials such as cabbage stalks and woody material can be separated and burnt, the ashes being distributed over the garden. A better plan, if manure is available, is to form a compost of manure and the garden waste. This is done by placing the waste and manure in alternate layers, and making the heap compact by tramping and watering. Composting hastens the rotting of the garden waste.

U. F. W. A. APPOINT COMMITTEES FOR THEIR BAZAAR

The Gleichen U. F. W. A. met on Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. F. Wilson with fifteen members and two visitors present. Roll call was answered by a quotation from the Farm Paper.

Committees were appointed for the bazaar to be held at the Gleichen Community Hall on November 9th. Lovely fancy work and tasty home cooking will be on sale, also the ladies will serve a dainty tea.

Mrs. Swain gave a short interesting talk on Girl Guide work. Mrs. Garland gave a straight forward political talk with advice to the women.

An account of the very busy season many of the members were unable to be present.

SID ELIGHTS

After several years of unsuccessful efforts to get a local hardware merchant to advertise, the publisher of a weekly newspaper recently was surprised to receive an order for a full page advertisement from the "merch non-advertiser." Glancing at the copy the publisher saw that it advertised a "closing out sale." The hardware man was going out of business his advertising competitors had taken his trade and there was nothing left for him to do but quit. So the newspaper man had landed his prospect at last. The merchant recognized the power of advertising to help him to get out of business but had never used it as a means of staying in business. There are a good many merchants like that.

The world's champion "daylight avers" are the Arctic terns, these graceful birds which breed near the North Pole and spend their winter near the South Pole, thus taking advantage of nearly six months of day light at each end of the earth. Their annual round trip covers some 22,000 miles, and they enjoy more day light than any other living creatures.

This one comes from from British Columbia. A minister announced that in the following Sunday he would preach on "Lilies," and requested all flock to read the 7th chapter of Mark in the meantime. The next Sunday he asked all who had read the chapter to raise their hands, and about half of the congregation did so. You are the ones I will preach to," he said. "There is no 17th chapter of Mark."

"Second-Story Peggy."

The public works committee must be congratulated on the job done on the sidewalk in front of A. R. Yates drug store. This is indeed a great improvement. The repairing of this sidewalk reminded us of a beautiful fall day; the days of the old bar-room and the horse and buggy. Three carpenters were all set to spend the day duck hunting. One of them by the name of Shepard was always singing "The Hat Father Wore on St. Patrick's Day." The three were men in a democratic and started to drive off, rolling the corner sharply did not notice a large telephone pole lying on the ground and striking this just as Shepard got to "The Hat Father Wore." He lost interest in the song right there for the three men found themselves sprawled on the roadway, while a bottle of whiskey rolled out onto the street. Instantly the team was off around the back lane heading east. A gun fell off, then some cartridges, clothes, the box of sandwiches, enough to last for a week. The horses headed straight for the foundation of the old Foresters Hall, the building which had been destroyed by fire some years before. The grand finale happened when the democrat hit the foundation, their bottles, all hunting equipment, and democrat flew into the air making a beautiful mess. Instead of going hunting the boys spent the next couple of days repairing the democrat while Shepard joyfully sang "The Hat Father Wore."

Those reformers interested in child welfare might do well to pay some attention to those in their second childhood.

UNITED CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECT OFFICIALS

A meeting of the teachers and officers of the United Church was held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Evans on Wednesday evening of last week.

Those present were Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Jeffers, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. Riddell, Mrs. Evans, Miss V. Taylor, Miss B. Taylor, Miss A. Evans, Miss Haller, Messrs. W. Robinson and M. Murray.

The treasurers report was submitted which showed the Sunday School to be in a good financial condition.

Mr. W. Robinson was appointed superintendent in place of Mrs. Gilbert, who is now residing in Strathmore. Mrs. G. W. Evans was appointed assistant superintendent. Mrs. Wilkinson was appointed teacher for the senior class. Mrs. McIntyre teacher for the Zeps, and Mr. Robinson for the Dragon class to start in October. Miss Kelly was appointed pianist. It was also decided to hold a picnic on Saturday Sept. 14 at the home of J. Boyd as he had very generously offered the use of his lawn for this purpose.

Tea was served during the evening and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

LADIES ORGANIZE SOCIAL CREDIT GROUP AT MEADOWBROOK

The Meadowbrook Social Credit Ladies Group was organized on Sept. 14th, at the home of Mrs. George Bell. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Lucille Bell. Vice-President, Miss B. Richardson. Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Fred Lamar.

A program committee was also appointed.

A dainty luncheon was served and the afternoon greatly enjoyed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Kenneth McPhee, on September 19th.

ANNUAL PICNIC UNITED CHURCH SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR

The annual picnic of the United Church was held on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd east of town. Mr. Boyd had most generously given the use of his lawn for the picnic and as soon as the Sunday School pupils heard of this all roads led to John Boyd's.

Although the afternoon was rather windy and dusty it was not felt among the trees and the children had a grand time. The younger children played games on the lawn, and the older boys and girls played games in the pasture adjoining Sports were also engaged in during the afternoon, including races, 3-legged races and jumping.

The main event was the feed. The teachers made sure there would be food for all. With hot dogs, cake and cocoa, everyone was satisfied. About 100 children sat down on the lawn.

Mrs. Boyd entertained the teachers and officers to tea later in the afternoon.

More games were played and before leaving a grand peanut scramble was held which caught the attention of all for a time. Before leaving a big ring was formed with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd in the centre and all sang "For They are Jolly Good Fellows." All stated it was the best picnic they ever had and hope there will be more like it.

The Sunday School officials wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Boyd for the use of their lawn and home.

We often hear men say in excuse for their ignorance that they never had "chance." Now, the majority of men who have become noted, made the chance for themselves. Where there's a will there's a way, you know, and the boy who determines to be something and does not lose heart in the struggle, generally accomplishes his end. One may have a great many wise and ambitious thoughts but if not followed up with perseverance and industry, he will never amount to much. A thing must be wholly done and well done, if one would have fame and prosperity.

BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL TEAMS EACH WIN GAME

The Gleichen All-Star softball club and the Gleichen baseball team each took one end of a double header played on the local diamond last Sunday afternoon.

The All-Stars won the softball game by a 12-10 score. Boos and McMillan each went the full route on the pitchers mound.

Home runs: C. Brown, T. Downey, L. Kruger, N. Schnepf. Three base hits: B. Blaney, B. Lester.

The baseball team took the baseball game by a 4-3 score. B. Lester was on the mound for the All-Stars; while Norwicki hurled for the baseball boys. Both teams played good ball and up until the fifth inning there were no hits for either team. The winning run was scored in the ninth inning from an error. Bob Brown made a home run.

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Ball club 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 1-4 4 3
All-Stars 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0-6 3 1

FROM THE FILES OF GLEICHEN CALL TWENTY YEARS AGO

J. H. Dickson of Calgary purchased from J. Morton 200 head of very fine beef cattle. These were shipped to Chicago. The check received by Mr. Morton of \$15,000 shows an average of more than \$70 per head. A nice little check to receive!

John Lesky, manager of the Imperial Elevator, returned last week from spending a couple of months at his home in Hamilton, Quebec.

Mrs. Harrison left a week ago to visit relatives in Collingwood, Ont. and other eastern points.

Miss Lafferty left to spend three months visiting relatives at Victoria, and California.

J. Leggett arrived from Drumheller on Sunday, accompanied by his uncle, Mr. Leggett of Foxwarren, Man. They left yesterday by auto for Drumheller.

The Majorville correspondent states the farmers are completing the largest harvest that has ever been garnered in the district. Threshing operations have just started.

Thursday J. A. Ramsay received a car of fruit (25,270 lbs.). When the day's business was over it was discovered by actual figures that over 18,000 pounds of fruit had went out, that lot to customers. One family purchased 36 cases for their own personal use.

Chester Sobel visited his old home in Clarksburg over Sunday.

Miss L. Brocton has returned from a visit to Calgary.

Miss L. Moss left Monday to spend two weeks at her home in Mossleigh.

Jack Frost certainly got in some heavy work Friday night, yet he did not do much damage.

There has been some rain, sleet and snow during the past week.

Pember Ostrander left on Tuesday for Peace River Crossing to accept a promotion offered him in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

His former manager at Gleichen, Mr. Lyons.

Mrs. Jones and family have returned to town after spending the holidays with Mr. Jones at the South Camp.

Although some varieties of birds are considered a great nuisance by farmers and others, it is doubtful that any of these feathered tribes are more destructive than useful birds are natural enemies of insects, and insects are the greatest enemies of man.

The Scientist has been declared that without continued research and the employment of improved means of combating insect pests they would overrun the world and destroy all other life, including man.

The old world, including man. The rapidity with which certain insects multiply is beyond the imagination. For example a species of flea will in a year produce more than 441 quadrillion young. One small bird will destroy about 1,500 of these in a day; a pair of birds will eat 30,000 grubs in a year. Various birds have their favorite insects upon which they prey, but all eat practically any insect which crosses their path. With this ever present menace of insects to combat, we can hardly have too many birds. Not only out of humane sentiment, but as an actual protection to civilization, the birds should be spared.

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"SALADA" JAPAN TEA

Democracy And Liberty

Liberty, says Mr. Stanley Baldwin, is rooted in the English character and fostered and maintained by institutions which also have grown out of that character. That liberty is embodied in the parliamentary system which is the result of the obstinate determination of the English people to manage, individually and nationally, their own affairs. Mr. Baldwin says that system has grown out of the common sense and good nature of the people, who prefer elections to street fighting, and talking shop to revolutionary tribunals. The English, above all other peoples have made a success of democracy and that success has been planted in the Overseas Dominions. The reason for this is added by The London Times as being a refusal to "wear our fetters in our souls." That freedom is the breath of democracy which protects the people from domination by one side or the other through the expression of opinion in the ballot box. It is, as the Times says, "the translation into action of our instinctive determination to resist any form of tyranny that has from time to time preserved us."

Mr. Baldwin reiterates that the price of liberty is eternal vigilance, and the more so in a democracy which is the most difficult form of government, and, therefore, the most worthy of giving our lives to make it a success. Thus Great Britain has the notion that it is not enough to sit with folded arms and believe that she has the greatest Government in the world. Tyranny takes many forms. It is constantly raising its head. One way of propaganda it has devised is to constantly beset democracy with lies. According to Mr. Baldwin, it is the form of government which has won more triumphs than any other, and, therefore, should be cherished and cultivated as in times past. Self-government, which is democracy, has maintained in developing forms in England for eight centuries. No one is going to be able to tear it from its roots, which are laid in the English character.

When we review the history of this North American continent, we find that the struggle for liberty and self-government is written large over its pages. The Pilgrim Fathers left the old world in order that they might enjoy that religious liberty denied to them at home. The original American colonies revolted because self-government was withheld from them, and taxation imposed on them without their consent. The American Civil War was a life and death struggle for liberty. One long fight followed another in pre-Confederation days to win liberty and the rights of responsible government in Canada.

In the earlier days of the world's history, liberty could only be gradually won through bloodshed and death on the battlefield. Today it can only be retained and expanded through democratic forms of government, and by stern resistance to all movements, however subtle and apparently innocent, which tend to restrict the liberties of the people, and of individuals within the aggregate of the people and the State.

Why have the peoples of Great Britain, United States and Canada laid such stress on individual liberty, and been willing to sacrifice all else in order to achieve it? The answer is, of course, that liberty is the greatest thing in life, and without it life is not worth the living. A slave may enjoy health and security, but lacking his God-given right of liberty he is denied that which is supremely great, contentment and happiness.

It is not to be forgotten, too, that it is only in those countries where full and free democratic forms of government exist that liberty remains the priceless possession of the people. Yet we find in certain countries, where the people became lax in defence of their liberties, those very democratic forms were first utilized by dictators to later deprive them of their liberties. And all over North America today there are organized groups, employing the very liberty which democracy has conferred upon them, to overthrow and destroy democracy.

It is necessary, therefore, for all people who prize liberty to be on their guard and resist every attempt, however veiled it may be, which is designed to restrict the liberty of themselves or others in even the smallest degree. Liberty once lost may be extremely hard to win back again.

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Paying Their Way

Dionne Babies Contribute Indirectly To Revenue For Ontario

If the five little Dionne girls know anything about such things as tourist traffic, gasoline taxes and the revenue of trade, they might press them selves on their contributions to business and to the treasury of Ontario out of all proportions to what is expected of mere babes.

It has been estimated that the thousands of visitors to Callender are paying approximately \$12,000 a month in gasoline taxes to the province. The crowds who see the Dionne quintuplets average one thousand a day. Tourist traffic into the North Bay district has increased nearly forty per cent., creating an evident prosperity that reaches out to hotels, other purveyors and tradesmen of all kinds.

The five little girls are more than paying their way, and are returning to the province substantial dividends on the sympathy and public assistance that was so generously and promptly rendered to them in the first precarious months of their young lives.

They are also supporting twenty persons, according to a report from Callender — their parents, three nurses, two maids for their mother, two hired men for their father, a cook, two orderlies, two special constables, three men to direct traffic, two hospital maids and Dr. Daeff.

To their famous physician they doubtless owe more than they can ever repay, but to everyone else they occupy a charming and cheerful position of independence in the sponsored knowledge that they are a personal and financial asset to Ontario. Thousands of men and families are undoubtedly on relief, drawing funds from the limited provincial treasury to which five-year-old babies are indirectly credited with contributing such appreciable sums as \$12,000 in gasoline taxes alone.

The contrast presents just another anomaly of life—Peterborough Examiner.

Products Should Be Shown

Only Way To Interest China In Canadian Products

China, and particularly southern China, offers a huge and comparatively untapped field of opportunity to Canadian industry. Mrs. Beatrice Thompson, director of the advertising and publicity bureau of Hong Kong, China, and Malaya, declared at Montreal. She is visiting Canada's larger centres in connection with the proposed British Empire and China trade fair planned for December, 1936, at Hong Kong.

She said foodstuffs in particular were in demand. She estimated the potential consumption of imported butter at 13,900 tons annually, with proportionate opportunities for the sale of tinned milk and other foods.

"There is only one way to interest the Chinese in your exports," Mrs. Thompson continued. "Let them see your products for themselves. Merely to follow plans tried elsewhere and send out a commission on a brief visit is to court the same failure and lack of results that have been experienced in the past by other parts of the empire."

Deserves A Monument

Taxpayer Carries Burden Of World On His Shoulders

Someone should start a movement to build a monument to the average taxpayer. He is the man who keeps the home fires burning and makes the wheels of government go around. He has gotten himself into the position of a taxpayer by birth, by spending less than he makes, by investing in the home town, by building a home first and owning a roof over his own head. To do it he has denied himself pleasures and luxuries that the spendthrift had in plenty. In every community he may be abused and referred to slightly on many occasions, but in good years and bad years he is the backbone of the country, and without him there would be no government and no relief. He carries the burden that others shirk, many times without complaint, which he would often be justified in voicing. He is deserving a monument—a tall enduring monument, for he, like Atlas of old, bears the world upon his shoulders.—Cransbrook, B. C., Courier.

From January to June, 1935, Canada exported 6,163,449 pounds of leaf tobacco, 6,792,961 pounds, which went to the United Kingdom; 238,400 pounds to British West Africa; 62,885 pounds to British West Indies; 11,680 pounds to Belgium, and 7,613 pounds to other foreign countries.

Old lady (to taxi-driver, who is still holding out his hand after receiving legal fare): "It's no use showing it to me, my man, I don't know a thing about palmistry." 2115

Exhibit From Britain

Port Of London Authority Had Space At Toronto Exhibition

The Port of London Authority took space at the 57th Canadian National exhibition which opened at Toronto on August 23 and staged an exhibit representing the facilities provided in the Port of London to serve the great London market. The international character of London's commerce was emphasized by large-scale dioramas and mechanical devices illustrating the continuous flow of shipping in and out of the port.

The port authority have provided special facilities for dealing with Canadian trade, particularly at the Surrey commercial docks, and the trade has shown a marked increase during the last year or two. In a brochure specially prepared for the exhibition it is stated that "Canada wants to send more of her products and manufactures to Great Britain; yet many Canadians do not at present realize that London is Great Britain's premier port and serves Great Britain's greatest market. London provides the wealthiest and largest market for Canadian trade; the Port of London is the natural and obvious gateway to that market."

Will Try Borsal System

New Method Of Training For Youth In Penitentiaries

A system of training youthful delinquents similar to the Borsal system in the United Kingdom will be inaugurated in one of the penal institutions of Canada, Sept. 1, it was learned at Ottawa. Within four years it is hoped to develop plans embracing the whole Dominion, so far as Borsal training is concerned.

"If we are given one year for every 10 years of experimentation in Borsal training carried on by the United Kingdom, we shall be able to evolve a satisfactory system," declared one high government official. "The Borsal system has been in vogue in Great Britain for 40 years, the new methods are continuing to emerge."

In Canadian penitentiaries there were 271 young men between the ages of 16 and 21. It is with a proportion of these that the training system will start.

Butter Awards

Manitoba Captures Honors At Canadian National Exhibition

Manitoba creameries captured premier honors in the Canadian National Exhibition creamery butter contest, final results of which are announced. First prizes awarded by the provinces were: Manitoba 42, Alberta 17, Ontario 49, British Columbia 20, Saskatchewan one.

The Winkler Creamery, Winkler, Man., was awarded the silver cup for the highest scoring exhibits at the exhibition. Silver medal winners for highest scoring sample of butter in each section included Central Alberta Dairy Pool, Alia, Alta.

Regained Health By Exercise

Five years ago doctors told William Campbell of Vancouver he had only six months to live. He took physical culture lessons, won his battle with death and now is making a habit of saving others from the same fate. During one month he saved four persons from drowning in Vancouver waters.

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Are You Tired—Listless?

Is your rest broken at night? If your kidneys need attention take GIN PILLS. They will strengthen your kidneys and if you sleep better you will feel better and look better.



Holiday For Auto Horns

To make the life of pedestrians "a little more pleasant," Alderman Margaret McWilliams urged the blowing of automobile horns be prohibited for one or two months as an experiment in Winnipeg. The horn was more of a danger than a help, she told the civic traffic committee.

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Arms for Abyssinia

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Not only is it legal to export arms to Abyssinia, but the 1890 Arms Convention, signed by Britain, France, Italy, and Abyssinia herself, actually gave as one of the reasons for its existence "the object of enabling His Majesty the Emperor of Abyssinia to obtain all the arms and munitions necessary for the defence of his country from external aggression." To continue to withhold licenses, then, is to deny the spirit of this convention as well as to flout the principles of common justice. Once war has started Italy will have the right to stop and examine all ships suspected of carrying contraband goods destined for Abyssinia. Nor will Abyssinia even be able to retaliate, for international law in all its justice requires belligerent States to take their own measure, which is cold comfort to a State with neither ships nor sea to sail them on. Unless the prohibition is immediately raised, Britain, France, and every other country that follows their example risk the charge of having aided the aggressor while they hindered the victim, of having assisted the guilty while they hampered the innocent.

Sailors Do Needlework

Embroider Bags, Crochet and Knit in Marine Hospital
Weather beaten sailors "in drydock" at the marine hospital in San Francisco, Cal., have turned from swabbing decks and battling oil debris to needlework. They're all counting stitches as they embroider bags, crochet gay afghans and knit dainty sweaters. And not a hearty seafaring oath or bellowing "belay" or "avast" from one of them. The work is sponsored by the Seamen's Institute.

Infantile Paralysis Serum

Between 6,000 and 7,000 persons in the United States have received the New York health department's new vaccine against infantile paralysis this year and not one of them has yet been reported a victim of the disease.

U.S. Death Rate Is Up

An upward turn in the United States death trend, after five years of continuous decline, was reported on Friday by the census bureau in its preliminary summary for 1934.

Strictly A Woman's Job

Man Cannot Successfully Plan House

Opinion of Architect
When it comes to planning a house that is no man's job. At least, not in the opinion of Charles Day, maker of the Queen's doll house, who is exhibiting miniature reproductions of old English buildings in Toronto at the C.N.E. He and his ancestors for hundreds of years have been builders. "All public buildings are another matter," he said, "but when it is a question of a home, the husband, the architect and the builder are all alike in that they are interested in what they get out of it. A woman is interested in what she is going to put in it. I'd like to see women architects in the domestic line."

This man, after revelling in discussion of architectural points of ancient buildings said with a smile: "The famous old buildings which are admired today for their beauty as well as for the fact that they still give service after centuries were erected by builders before there were men known as architects. Later, the architects came along and made theories on the basis of what the builders had done. It was in the heads of the builders that most of the designs were worked out."

Tabby Lives in Luxury

Elaborate Home Has Chesterfield And Four Poster Bed

Lady Sylvia was the most luxurious cat in the C. N. E.'s 34th international cat show at Toronto. She lives in a two-story colonial mansion with a brass lock on her front door and glass-paned windows through which visitors admire her.

Her sitting room boasts a chesterfield set, a mantle with a mirror over it. On the wall hangs a portrait of herself and her two favorite children. Her bedroom upstairs has a bedroom suite with a bureau and mirror and a four poster bed to which she retires when adulation wears her.

Lady Sylvia is a silver tabby owned by Mrs. A. Southwick, and her pretty green and white mansion was built by Mrs. Southwick's 70-year-old cousin.

Germany's First Railway

Germany celebrated this summer the centenary of the opening of her first railway line. The celebrations included a procession to the grave of William Watson in St. John's Cemetery, Nuremberg, the engineer of the first train.

Sentence Not Carried Out

Very Few Canadians Shot For Cowardice In World War

A score of years after the war, Canadians are to be told how some of Canada's soldiers were shot for cowardice at the front, according to W. L. Clark, in the Windsor Daily Star. "The Red Patch," official record of the First Division, is to give certain details.

A lot of men were sentenced to be shot, but only a few were really executed. One famous Canadian regiment used to parade in hollow square every few months and hear one or other of two soldiers sentenced to death.

These two chaps had a way of getting drunk, beating up all and sundry, getting beaten up themselves and vanishing. Sooner or later they would turn up, usually under arrest. They would be tried by Court Martial and then would come the day of the sentence.

The battalion would parade in a hollow square. The prisoner would be marched in by a guard with fixed bayonets. The colonel would call the regiment to attention and then, sitting very stiffly on his horse, he would read from an order paper. The man's name, his crime of desertion and all the details would be read. Finally, the colonel would declare that the sentence of death had been decided upon and the accused would be shot.

After saying all that the colonel would pause and everyone would take a sympathetic look at the doomed man. Then the colonel would clear his throat, and out would come something like this: "On recommendation of mercy, the sentence has been commuted to one month in prison." Everyone would heave a sigh of relief and it would be all over until one of the two got drunk and "deserted" again.

Curious thing about it all was that towards the end of the war, the battalion wanted a man to appear as a model for a fine-looking soldier. They picked one of the two who was always getting sentenced to be shot.

Definition of Gentleman

One Who Does Not Work According To Voters' Lists

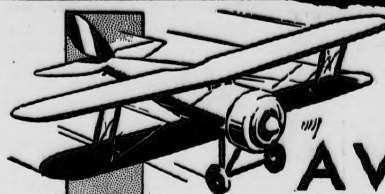
The following article is from the Fergus, Ontario, News-Record:

The voters' lists of the townships have recently been printed. One may come across men who are listed as laborers and hardly deserve the title, but usually those who don't work or won't work, are listed by the strange designation of "gentleman." One of this world's puzzles is just what constitutes a voters' list gentleman—apart from the fact that he doesn't work. The word has a certain high standing, which comes down from pioneer times in Ontario, but we note one man in Nichol who was a gentleman last year, is a laborer this year, and we suspect that his status has improved. In fact he must have got himself a job.

Explains White Eggs

A naturalist explains that white eggs are characteristic of birds nesting in tree-holes and burrows, the whiteness serving to protect the eggs against hawks, since even towards night the eggs are visible to the bird seeking the nest.

Mrs. Potter—"I noticed your husband always has his hair cut short?" Mrs. Colter—"Yes, the coward!"



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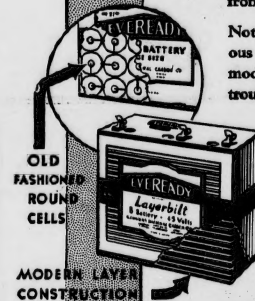
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Ancient Villages Revealed

Three Distinct Sites Have Been Excavated In England

Some of the secrets of Maiden Castle, near Dorchester, Britain's best preserved pre-historic monument, recently revealed by excavations made by Dr. R. E. M. Wheeler, were described by him before the Society of Antiquaries at Burlington House, London, the other day. Three distinct sites had been excavated, he said. In the first he had found Neolithic pits filled with pottery of simple design, reshaped flint axes and other weapons. They had also cut into the site of a Neolithic village of about 2000 B.C. For the next fifteen centuries the site was without human occupation owing to water shortage experienced on nearly all highlands of Europe. In the second excavation they cut across a bank reinforced with a pallisade of one-foot timbers and a ditch fifty feet wide and thirty feet deep. They discovered twelve or fifteen hearths at different levels in the ditch filling. "On this site we found seventy-six Iron Age pits, used for dwellings, cooking and storage," Dr. Wheeler said.

The Measure Of Success

Is Ability To Keep On When Every-One Turns Back

On every hand we see people who have turned back, people who had pluck enough to begin things with enthusiasm, but did not have grit enough to carry them to a finish. The point at which you are tempted to turn back, the point when your grit leaves you, will measure your achievement. Power. Your ability to go on, to continue after everybody else has turned back, is a good measure of your possible success.

One of the public rooms in the Queen Mary, British liner rapidly nearing completion, is so large that an ocean liner of 1840 could be placed in it, together with the entire fleet with which Columbus first crossed the Atlantic.

A pigeon was sold recently in England for \$750.

Ayrshire Breeders' Association

Reports Received On Milking And Butter Fat Records

Reports have been received by the Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' association on the milking and butter fat records of 147 cows and heifers. It was announced at Toronto.

Leaders included:
Three-year-old class—Indian Head Neil Fourth, owner, director experimental farms, Indian Head, Sask., 11,354 pounds milk, 551 pounds fat.
Two-year-old class—Flinty Iris, owned by Capt. J. D. Dunwaters, Flinty, B.C., 12,594 pounds milk, 534 pounds fat, average test, 4.25 per cent. fat.

They Come And Learn

Tourists From United States Finding Out About Canada

The Stratford Beacon-Herald says: The tourist habit is one of the best corrective elements which has made its appearance. When people come and find heat here in Summer they know how limited has been their conception of this country. They will probably go home and tell other people. We can enjoy a good laugh at the expense of those who come in Summer armed and prepared for Winter, but the truth is the people from United States never knew any better. It is well they are finding out.

In Hawaii, there are football leagues in which the players do not wear shoes. The athletes develop great kicking accuracy and punt 50 yards with ease.

Little Helps For This Week

Be merciful unto me, O God, be merciful to me, for my soul trusteth in Thee; Yea in the shadow of Thy wings will I make my refuge, until these calamities be overpast.—Psalm 57, 1.

My God, in whom are all the springs Of boundless love and grace unknown, Hide me beneath Thy spreading wings, Till the dark cloud is overblown.

In time of trouble go not out of yourself to seek for aid, for the whole benefit of trial consists in silence, patience, rest, and resignation. In this condition divine strength is found for the hard warfare, because God Himself fights for the soul.

In vain will you let your mind run out after help in times of trouble, it is like putting to sea in a storm. Sit still, and feel after your principles, and if you find none that furnish you with somewhat of a stay and prop, and which point you to quietness and silent submission depend upon it you have never learned the truth from the Spirit of Truth.

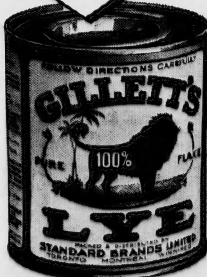
Dog Faced Court Action

"Pet," one of the richest dogs in the world, faced a court fight in Chicago for the \$25,000 left him by his late mistress, Miss Margaret McDermott. As Miss McDermott's will was brought to court for probate, two cousins announced a contest. "Pet's" mistress died June 4 at the age of 70, making "Pet" her sole heir.



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Why not follow the same rule in your shopping? Why not stick to the "highways of buying?" They have been just as carefully plotted, and are just as carefully marked as the motor roads you've come to depend upon. Marked by the trade-marks of reliable, advertised products.

The next time you go shopping follow these "highways." Pick out the products you want. Notice the names and trade-marks that identify them. And ask for them by name.

The advertisements are sign posts to guide you to the best and the most reliable goods.

Town & District

Frank K. McKay of Calgary has been in town the past week visiting his son Walter and family. Mr. McKay has not been idle a moment since arriving being kept busy looking after his interests here.

Malcolm Brown and Mathew Murray are harvesting north of Delia. These boys state the crops are excellent in that area.

Hugh James spent most of last last week giving the yearly overhaul to the James family racing boats, at the Central Garage. Getting ready for the opening of the duck season.

"Second-Story Peggy."

Last Sunday F. Desjardine found his saddle horse dead behind his house. It is thought the horse had been struck by a train as a trail of blood lead to the railroad tracks. A large piece of flesh had been torn from the animals side.

Of interest to the local returned men. The provincial convention will be held in Medicine Hat on October 21-22-23. Members wishing to attend should notify at once the local secretary, Irvine Gove.

The Wolf Cubs have again started their season's activities in the Legion hall.

K. R. McLean's sight specialist, of Calgary will be at Dr. Farquharson's office Monday morning, Sept. 22nd up to 1 p.m.

This week-end the C. P. R. are offering bargain rates to Medicine Hat.

You are cordially invited to a sale of Home Cooking and Needle Work and tea will be served by the Junior W. A. of St. Andrew's at the Legion hall on Saturday, Sept 21st from 3 to 5.30 p.m.

Bill Taylor got one of his fingers mixed up in a combine Monday and thought it was broken. Upon having the finger x-rayed it was found the bone had been badly bruised. Bill has gone back to work on the combine stating he can work just as good with one hand as with two.

Shooting season opened Monday at noon. Quite a number of Gleichen sports spent the afternoon chasing over the fields looking for hungarians, and at the sloughs knocking down odd ducks. All report plenty of birds to be seen and very good luck in getting them.

Seen about 4:30 Monday afternoon. A flock of geese flying a mile or so away. Three shots rang out and three geese fell. And yet nobody claims to have shot any geese.

The town irrigation will be shut off on Friday afternoon, Sept. 20th, instead of Sunday the 22nd, as announced in last issue. Vast quantities of water is being used these days soaking gardens.

Mrs. Hartley and Miss Anna Hunter rode horseback to Crowfoot last week with Mr. Hartley's horses.

Miss McNaughton of the Blackfoot hospital spent the week-end visiting with friends at Morley.

Bob Harrison of Vancouver is at present in town and will be here for a short time. Bob says that the coast climate agrees with him and he likes it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hutcherson motored to Three Hills last Sunday to visit friends.

A gang of men have been busy re-roofing the Queens hotel. They found it pretty dusty there at times when the wind was up.

The poorest policy and the worst economy is to keep the children out of school. Every day lost has its manifold effect; the knowledge gained on that day is missed, pupil is thrown behind, becomes discouraged, has a bad effect on the class and the very habit is to be avoided.

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